GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH
ABSTRACT

Public Servants - MA&UD Department - Bapatla Municipality – Allegations of unauthorized construction of (4) Buildings and violation of Building Rules – Disciplinary proceedings initiated against Sri S.Siva Rama Krishna, the then Municipal Commissioner, Bapatla (presently Municipal Commissioner, Tadipatri Municipality) - Enquiry conducted – Imposition of major penalty of stoppage of One (1) Annual Grade Increment with cumulative effect – Orders - Issued.

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MUNICIPAL ADMINISTRATION & URBAN DEVELOPMENT (VIG.II) DEPARTMENT

G.O.RT.No. 286 **Dated: 29-03-2019**

Read the following:

1) From the General Administration (V&E) Department, Vigilance Report No.27 (2061/V&E/D1/06), dated.07.03.2007.
2) G.O.Rt.No.110, MA&UD (E1) Department, dated.25.01.2008
3) Written statement of defense of Sri S.Siva Rama Krishna, Municipal Commissioner, Bapatla, dt. Nil received through the C&DMA., Letter Roc.No.12250/2007-E1, dated.18.07.2008.
4) G.O.Rt.No.1283, MA&UD (E1) Department, dated.14.09.2009.
5) From Sri K.Lakshminarayana, Deputy Commissioner & Enquiry Officer, Guntur Municipal Corporation, Lr.Roc.No.3950/2008/C1, dt.08.09.2010
6) Govt.Memo.No.7569/E1/2007-7, dated.22.06.2011.
7) Explanation dt.25.06.2018 of Sri S.Siva Rama Krishna, former Municipal Commissioner, Bapatla, received through the DMA., A.P., Guntur, Lr.Roc.No.12250/07/C3, dated.07.07.2018.
8) Govt. Letter No.7569/Vig.II/2007, dated.14.02.2019.
9) From the Secretary, APPSC., Vijayawada, Lr.No.194/DC&C/2019, dated.28.02.2019.

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O R D E R:

Based on the V&E Report in the reference 1st read above, Government have initiated departmental action against Sri S.Siva Rama Krishna, the then Municipal Commissioner, Bapatla Municipality by issuing Articles of Charges against him on allegations of unauthorized construction of (4) Buildings and violation of Building Rules, with a direction to submit his written statement of defence vide reference 2nd read above. In the reference 3rd read above, the charged officer has submitted his written statement of defense and requested to drop the charges.

2. In the reference 4th read above, Government have appointed Sri K.Lakshminarayana, Municipal Commissioner, Guntur Municipal Corporation as an Enquiry officer to inquire into the charges framed against two charged officers i.e., Sri S.Siva Rama Krishna, the then Municipal Commissioner and Sri P.Ramakrishna, the then TPBO, Bapatla Municipality. In the reference 5th read above, the Enquiry Officer has submitted the enquiry report and held that, all the three charges framed against Sri S.Siva Rama Krishna, the then Municipal Commissioner are held proved in the enquiry.

3. Government after following due procedure and after examining the Enquiry report have accepted the findings of Enquiry Officer and a copy of the

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enquiry report has been communicated to Sri S.Siva Rama Krishna, the then Municipal Commissioner, Bapatla Municipality to offer his written representation in terms of Rule 21(2) of APCS (CCA) Rules, 1991 vide reference 6th read above. In the reference 7th cited Sri S.Siva Rama Krishna, the then Municipal Commissioner, Bapatla (present Municipal Commissioner, Tadipatri Municipality) has submitted his written representation duly requesting to drop the charges.

4. After examination of the inquiry report and the written representation of the charged officer, Govt. after following due procedure, it has been provisionally decided to impose a major penalty of stoppage of one Annual Grade Increment with cumulative effect against Sri S.Siva Rama Krishna, the then Municipal Commissioner, Bapatla, as all the three charges framed are held proved and in the reference 8th read above, the Secretary, A.P. Public Service Commission, Vijayawada was requested to convey the concurrence of the Commission on the Government's proposal.

5. In the reference 10th read above, the Secretary, A.P. Public Service Commission has informed that, Commission agrees with the proposal of the Government, to impose a major penalty of "stoppage of one (1) Annual Grade Increment with cumulative effect" against Sri S.Siva Rama Krishna, the then Municipal Commissioner, Bapatla Municipality and advise accordingly.

6. Government, after careful examination of the matter, it has been decided to impose a major penalty of "stoppage of one (1) Annual Grade Increment with cumulative effect against Sri S.Siva Rama Krishna, the then Municipal Commissioner, Bapatla (present Municipal Commissioner, Tadipatri Municipality). Accordingly, Government hereby order to impose a major penalty of "stoppage of one (1) Annual Grade Increment with cumulative effect against Sri S.Siva Rama Krishna, the then Municipal Commissioner, Bapatla (present Municipal Commissioner, Tadipatri Municipality).

7. The Director of Municipal Administration, A.P., Guntur shall take further necessary action in the matter accordingly.

8. The receipt of the G.O., shall be acknowledged.

(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH)

R.KARIKAL VALAVEN
SPECIAL CHIEF SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT

To
Sri S.Siva Rama Krishna, the then Municipal Commissioner,
Bapatla Municipality (presently Municipal Commissioner,
Tadipatri Municipality) - **through** the DMA, A.P., Guntur.
The Director of Municipal Administration, A.P., Guntur.

Copy to:

The Secretary, A.P. Public Service Commission, Vijayawada.
The General Administration (V&E) Department, A.P., Vijayawada.
The Secretary to A.P.V.C., 5th Block, A.P. Secretariat, Velagapudi.
The Accountant General, A.P., Hyderabad.
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SECTION OFFICER.